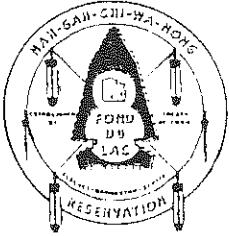


# Fond du Lac Reservation Business Committee

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RESOLUTION # 1403/98

The Fond du Lac Reservation Business Committee, on behalf of the Fond du Lac Band of Lake Superior Chippewa, hereby enacts the following Resolution:

WHEREAS, the Fond du Lac Reservation is a sovereignty, created by the Treaty of September 30, 1854, 10 Stat. 1109, as the permanent home of the Fond du Lac Band of Lake Superior Chippewa, which possesses the inherent jurisdiction and authority to exercise regulatory control within the boundaries of the Fond du Lac Reservation; and

WHEREAS, it is the sovereign obligation of the Fond du Lac Reservation Business Committee, as the Governing Body of the Fond du Lac Band, under the Indian Reorganization Act, 25 U.S.C. § 461 et seq., and in accordance with the Indian Self-Determination Act, 25 U.S.C. § 450 et seq., to assume the responsibilities of self government; and

WHEREAS, the Reservation Business Committee has a responsibility to promote and protect the general health, safety and welfare of the Fond du Lac Band and its members; and

WHEREAS, the Reservation Business Committee has determined it to be necessary and in the best interests of the Fond du Lac Band, in an effort to promote and protect the general health, safety and welfare of its members, to adopt laws protecting and enhancing the waters within the boundaries of the Reservation for use by present and future generations, and preventing degradation of these waters by activities either internal or external of the Reservation boundaries; and

WHEREAS, the Reservation Business Committee has received and reviewed a proposed Ordinance entitled "Water Quality Standards of the Fond du Lac Reservation;"

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Fond du Lac Reservation Business Committee does hereby adopt Fond du Lac Ordinance # 1298, entitled "Water Quality Standards of the Fond du Lac Reservation," as the law of the Fond du Lac Band, which shall apply to all activities which may impact the quality of waters, including wetlands, upon, under, flowing through or adjacent to the Fond du Lac Reservation, to become effective immediately.

We do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly presented and acted upon by a vote of 4 for, 0 against, 0 silent, with a quorum of 3 being present at a Special Meeting of the Fond du Lac Reservation Business Committee held on December 10 1998 in Cloquet, Minnesota.

Robert B. Peacock  
Robert B. Peacock, Chairman

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